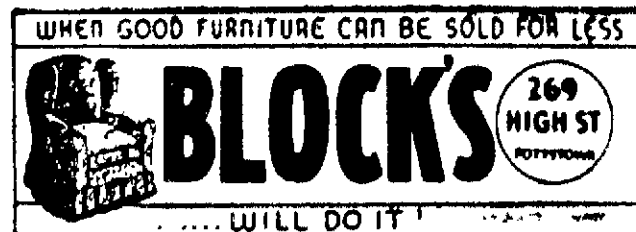




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## NEW FLOOD HITS PORTLAND AREA; DIKES BATTERED

Second Crest Reaches  
Metropolitan Region;  
26 Dead in Disaster

PORTLAND, Ore., June 6 (AP)—The second Columbia river flood crest to strike this metropolitan area within a week is battering levees protecting northeast Portland tonight. Treacherous high waters of the Northwest's greatest disaster will remain in the lower valley for a week or longer.

Floods in four Pacific Northwest states and British Columbia already have taken the lives of 26 persons, destroyed the Vanport homes of 18,700—where 45 children and seven adults are still unaccounted for—and left an estimated 60,000 homeless in the region.

Damage in the wake of the two week old crest now spilling into the Pacific has soared to \$140,000,000 and may go higher.

THE GOVERNMENT river forecaster said today the new crest caused by melting snows in the mountain headwaters of the Columbia will raise to "within a hair" of the highest stage that swept through the Portland-Vancouver sector the past Tuesday.

Dikes weakened by the more than two weeks of high water are under constant patrol of troops and civilians tonight. Some are leaking. Sandbag battalions are fighting to prevent a major breakthrough along a 20 mile stretch of the North Portland main bulwark against the Columbia.

A small dike burst in the Clatskanie sector this morning where high waters of the two week old flood crest crashed against an incoming tide. Thousands of troops, Coast Guardsmen and civilians are working on the 43 dike districts from Portland to near Astoria, Ore., at the mouth of the great river.

The Coast Guard has put an airplane on patrol duty over the flood stricken zone and a flotilla of cutters and auxiliary craft on the river. A fleet of radio-phone trucks is maintaining communications in the zone.

ARMY ENGINEERS reported a mid-day check of all critical sectors brought reports the protective works are in "good shape considering the conditions." A spokesman explained the dikes are weak, water-sogged and seepage is general through the lower valley.

Portland, metropolis of Oregon, and Vancouver, across the surging river in Washington, were hit by the new crest a week to the day after the first assault smashed nearby Vanport.

The Columbia lifted to the 30-foot level, 15 feet above flood stage, at Vancouver this morning. It was expected to inch up to 30.2 later in the day—only one-tenth below the first crest.

## Lovers of Out-of-Doors Get Break in Weather

Golfers, sun-bathers and Sunday drivers all enjoyed a good weekend. Except for a brief haze yesterday afternoon, the sun stayed out brilliantly from Saturday noon to sundown yesterday.

It was hard to work up a sweat, though. The mercury never went above the mid-70s and a strong breeze played throughout.

It was two-blanket weather early yesterday morning when the temperature dropped to 48, two degrees away from the all-time record low for the day.

The clouds which began to gather after dark were expected to continue today and produce scattered showers and thunderstorms. Tomorrow, the weatherman says, will be partly cloudy with more showers likely.

## Child at Play Bitten On Wrist by a Dog

Paul D. Mizic, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mizic, of 125 Warren street, was bitten on the right wrist by a dog the past Saturday morning, as he was playing in a yard near his home.

The boy was treated by Dr. David B. Alexander, of 375 Chestnut street, who said that the lad's wrist had been "badly bitten."

Albert H. Oliver, of 540 Walnut street, owner of the animal, was ordered by Motor Patrolman Stanley Borow to keep the dog tied up for ten days.

## THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Considerable cloudiness with showers and scattered thunderstorms today. Partly cloudy, with scattered showers likely tomorrow.

## 77 Mercury 48

High Antics Low  
TEMPERATURE EXTREMES  
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

## Pine Forge Institute Graduates Its Second Class



Sixteen young students of the Pine Forge Institute were graduated yesterday afternoon at the school's second Commencement exercises. The Rev. J. L. Moran, headmaster (left), handed certificates to (front row, left to right), Mary Peterson, Loretta Daniels, Catherine Brooks, Jean Leigh, Ollie Brooks, Geraldine McQuerry, Rosemary Jones and Reverend Fields. In the second row are Edison Nesfield, Richard Porter, Leland Mitchell, Samuel Ferguson, Mylas Martin, Jesse Wagner, Donald Cheatham and Miss R. E. Mosby, class sponsor.

## Israel Awaits U. N. Date for Truce In Palestine; Arabs View Deadlock

CAIRO, June 6 (AP)—The government of Israel said tonight the United Nations mediator probably would decide tomorrow the timetable for a four week truce in the Palestine war.

Reports from the Arab world, however, indicated negotiations for the cease fire had hit a snag and that efforts to engineer at least a temporary end to the bloody fighting were in danger of failing.

The Israeli government said in a communique, after its Foreign Minister Moshe Shertok talked with the mediator, Count Folke Bernadotte, in Haifa today:

IT WAS UNDERSTOOD that Count Bernadotte is expected to make up his mind finally during the course of tomorrow when he would communicate his conclusions to both sides, propose the deadline and expect the reply.

Nevertheless, a dispatch from Amman, where Bernadotte also conferred with King Abdullah during the day, said the truce agreement appeared to be breaking up. It had been accepted in principle the past Wednesday by both the Jews and Arabs.

The Arabs blamed the deadlock on Jewish insistence that immigration into the Holy Land be allowed to continue and that the Jerusalem-Tel Aviv highway be kept open.

Intensive military operations were in progress while the truce negotiations were being carried on.

ISRAELI TROOPS forced a half-circle around Arab concentrations on the northeastern approaches of Tel Aviv and drove within three and a half miles of strategic Tulkarm, Jewish leaders said.

## Truman Meets 'The People' In Stops on Western Tour

ABOARD TRUMAN TRAIN ENROUTE WESTWARD, June 6 (AP)—President Truman took on all comers at a Wyoming reception today and offered to take on Congress when he returns east.

Along the way from Omaha, he collected the equipment to do a little going to Congress, and promised to use it.

It was silver spurs at Grand Island, Neb., first thing this morning. At Kearney, he added a pair of cowboy boots. And across the line in Cheyenne, Wyo., a ten-gallon sombrero.

At Kearney, he went to church and at stops on the route of his special train he told way-side audiences they ought to, too. But he omitted any discussion of political issues on the Sabbath.

Late in the day, the presidential special rolled into Cheyenne. Mr. Truman drove to the governor's mansion, spoke to perhaps 2500 people, and agreed to shake hands with as many of them as he could. Only a few hundred made it.

THAT WAS NEW technique. Presidents ordinarily don't just wander into a town and meet whoever turns up. The secret service doesn't like it, for one thing.

But things are different in an election year.

Gov. Lester Hunt introduced Mr. Truman. And later he introduced Mrs. Truman and daughter Margaret. Mrs. Hunt and finally Gov. Lee Knous of next-door Colorado.

The President said he wanted to come back some time "When I can talk to you straight from (Continued on Page Three)

## Class of Seven Initiated By Knights of Columbus

A class of seven men was admitted to the Father Bally council, Knights of Columbus, at a meeting last night in its rooms at High and Hanover streets.

The exemplification of the first degree was in charge of Stephen J. Vagasky, grand knight, and was witnessed by 50 members.

Most of the meeting was devoted to this degree work, and it concluded with refreshments and a social hour.

Rummage sale today. Ladies' Aux P. R. S. A. of Greshville, at YWCA. Quick Radio Repairs. Call 3830. J. Fegely & Son, 38 High St.

American Legion Spring Party. Sunnybrook, Wednesday, June 9th. Watches, Diamonds, Wedding Rings, Lovers' Hair and Hanover Streets.

Diamonds, Wedding Rings, Chas. Lonsacre Jewels 17 N. Hanover.

No office hours this evening. Dr. R. Merkel, 360 High street.

Eye Examination. No Drops. Dr. Phillips, Optometrist, 340 High.

Lawn Mowers sharpened. Call and deliver. Phone 2599-J. 15 E. 4th St.

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P. H. S. Alumni Summer Meeting. Sunnybrook, Friday, June 11.

Ripe, Red Southern Watermelons. Sam's Fruit Market, W. High St.

No office hours until June 10. Dr. Herbert Seto, 1236 High St.

Call 1980 Mon. Wednesday, Fridays for appointments. Dr. D. D. Detar.

Open Mon., Tues. and Wed only this week. Dr. Clements, 151 N. Hanover.

Nash quit farming in 1899 and went to Flint, Mich., where he worked in a concern that later became the Durant-Dort Car-

riage company, and in 19 years he had become vice president and general manager. He and William C. Durant ventured into automobile making when Durant purchased the Buick Motor company in 1910 and made Nash president and general manager.

In 1912 Nash became president of General Motors but he resigned over policy differences with Durant and organized his own company, which put its first car on the market in 1917.

Nash was a tireless worker. (Continued on Page Three)

59 Confirmed by Bishop In Episcopal Church Here

The Rt. Rev. Oliver J. Hart, bishop of the diocese of Pennsylvania of the Episcopal church, yesterday confirmed 59 persons in Christ Episcopal church.

The solemn rite of the "laying on of hands" climaxed weeks of preparation for the confirmations. The service took place at 10 a. m.

Two hours earlier the bishop, assisted by the Rev. George A. Lincker, pastor, administered holy communion at a special service.

Three local firemen, all members of the Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company, attended. They were Clymer and Aubrey Missimer and Frank Roe. More than 300 attended.

LASSO LEADS IN ECUADOR QUITO, Ecuador, June 6 (AP)—First returns from Ecuador's presidential election tonight gave Galo Plaza Lasso a slight lead over his two rivals. Today's balloting was the nation's first presidential election since 1940.

No office hours until Monday, June 28. Dr. Paul Z. Hoffman.

Straubers festival, June 19, 4 p. m. continuous, Sanatoga Fire House.

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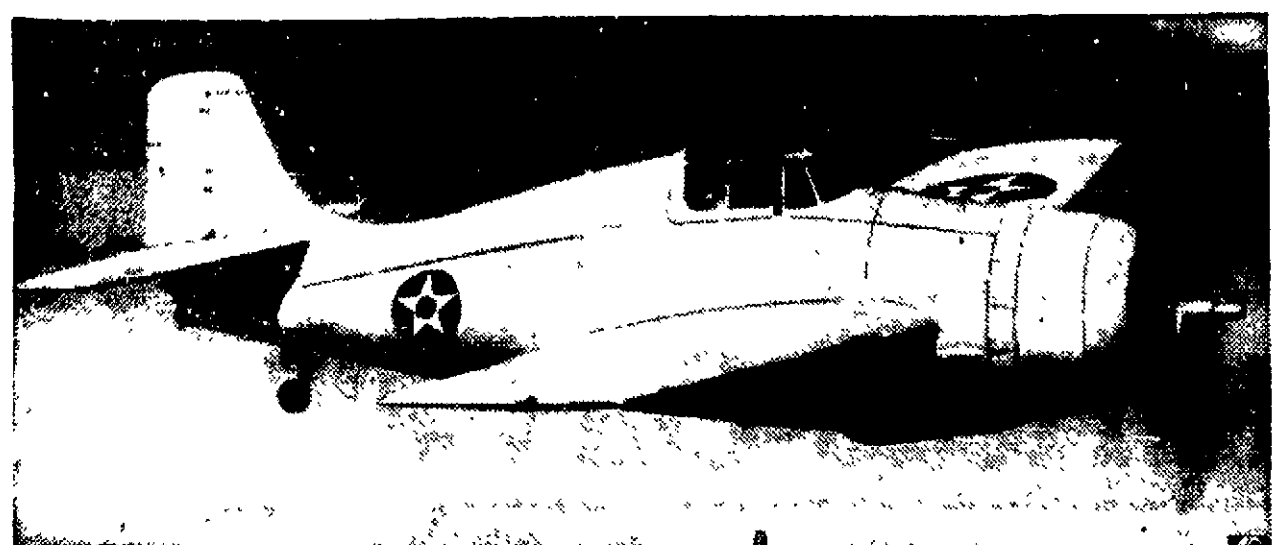
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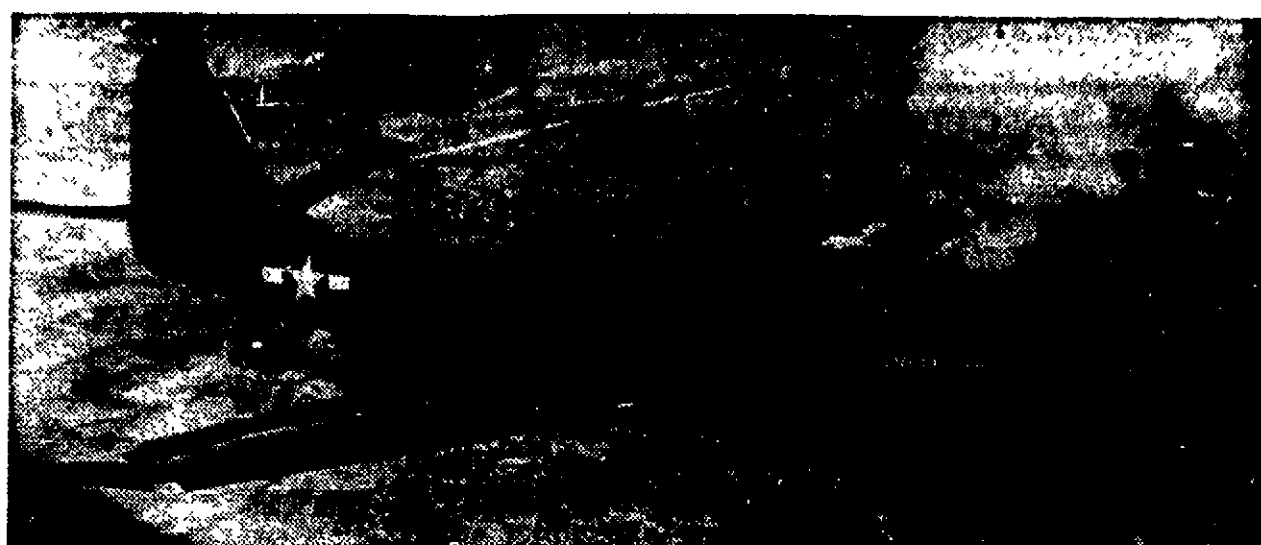
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**\$53,350 Then—High Prices Hit Navy's Pocketbook—\$456,500 Now**

Navy fighter in 1939



Navy jet fighter in 1948

**It's Not Like the Good Old Days—Plane Costs Hiked 772 Percent**

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—The high cost of fighting has climbed to dizzy heights from the high cost of living.

Before the war, the Navy bought fighter planes for a mere \$53,350. The present budget lists fighters at \$456,500. That's just for one.

Back in the good old days of 1939, said the Navy wistfully during appropriation hearings on Capitol Hill, you could come back from shopping with a dozen and a half planes for less than a million dollars. Now you can barely get two planes for that million.

Shocked Congressmen demanded an explanation for the 772 percent jump. A dollar doesn't go as far as it used to, they agreed, but how much was that for one plane?

Well, said the Navy experts sadly, speeds are doubled, power tripled, there are gadgets in every corner and wingtip, and everything just costs more than it did ten years ago.

Switching over to jet engines is expensive, too. Jets cost six times as much as 1939 old-style engines, and wear out four times as quick.

Yes, that's right — \$456,500.

**Labor Unions Settle Dispute Over Aid Plan**

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—The AFL and CIO have settled their dispute over labor's part in the foreign aid plan and are agreed on giving it joint support, the program's overseas labor chief, Boris Shishkin, reported today.

The big labor organizations are "in complete agreement," Shishkin told a reporter, on a program of the Economic Co-operation Administration which includes:

1. Boosting the output of the individual foreign worker, by enlisting the help of Europe's trade unions.
2. Combating Communist resistance to the recovery program within European worker groups.
3. Detouring the movement of recovery goods and workers so that skilled manpower is on hand for quick, productive action at the point of destination.
4. Breaking down Europe's barriers to the movement of labor across national borders. Thousands of Polish farm hands, for instance, might move into German coal mines after their harvest.

**U. N. Delegates Worried Over Palestine Situation**

LAKE SUCCESS, June 6 (AP)—Security council delegates were gravely disturbed tonight at indications their appeal for a Palestine truce might fail again.

Several delegates received reports from Amman, Trans-Jordan, with obvious pessimism but with little comment on what happens next. They were waiting to see what would come before the council meets at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow.

**STRIKE CALLED OFF**

PALERMO, Sicily, June 6 (AP)—Sicilian labor leaders called off a general strike scheduled to begin at midnight.

**Catholic Church Attacks Regime In Red-Hungary**

BUDAPEST, Hungary, June 6 (AP)—Josef Cardinal Mindszenty, primate of Hungary, told Catholics today that they should stop reading newspapers of the government.

He said the Communist-dominated regime is exerting "monstrous moral pressure."

The letter said Hungarian Catholics should be entirely united and that there are no negotiations between church and state. This presumably was in reference to government plans to take over church-maintained schools.

CARDINAL MINDSZENTY has threatened to excommunicate any Catholic who supports the plan. Education Minister Gyula Ortutay announced May 16 he would not tolerate any "terrorism" by the Cardinal against Catholics who are ready to co-operate with the plan.

The ministry of interior announced last night that 500 villagers in Pecs, Hungary, were killed in a police station and killed one policeman Thursday.

Ortutay promptly sent a letter to Cardinal Mindszenty blaming the Catholic church for nationwide agitation against nationalization of parochial schools. He demanded that the Cardinal "immediately put an end to this agitation."

Coals suitable for making coke are located mostly in Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Kentucky and Alabama.

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**HOUSE IS URGED TO PASS BILL FOR EDUCATION**

General Eisenhower Heads List Asking Federal Aid For Teaching in States

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—General Dwight D. Eisenhower and 80 other prominent persons urged today that the House vote on the Federal aid to education bill.

They signed a telegram to House Speaker Martin (R-Mass) taking note that the Senate has passed the bill but that the House has not acted, and that time is running out.

The message said: "The world conflict between democracy and Communism is intense and real. Our democracy can win the ideological battle only if we implement our ideals and become more democratic here at home."

"The cost of the program — 300 million dollars — is insignificant in comparison with the total expense for national defense and the European Recovery program."

"The Congress is mobilizing every human and material resource for any eventualities of peace or war. It cannot afford to neglect the quality of the nation's manpower."

The pending bill would provide \$300,000,000 annually in Federal funds for distribution among the states in ratio to their educational need and effort.

**U. S. Seeks Continuance Of Rail Strike Injunction**

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—The government today made public a voluminous brief filed in federal court as it seeks to nail down an injunction barring a nation-wide railroad strike.

The case comes to a showdown Thursday, one day before expiration of a restraining order which halted plans of three unions to walk out May 11 in a wage dispute.

The engineers, firemen and switchmen are trying to knock out the restrainer, while the government requests it be turned into an injunction which could hold off the strike for as long as the government retains possession of the railroads.

TRAIN DERAILED  
LOGANSPORT, Ind., June 6 (AP)—A Pennsylvania Railroad freight train was derailed in a washout near Logansport today as Indiana got rains varying from cloudbursts to light showers.

**Crucial Congressional Fight Seen Over Cut in Funds for Aid**

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—One of the most crucial battles of the current Congress—with issues of significance at home and abroad—shaped up today in the wake of the billion dollar House cut in the foreign spending program.

The immediate question is whether the Senate will act to restore the cuts and, if so, to what degree. The administration

had asked \$5,533,000,000 as a minimum outlay for 12 months. The House voted \$5,980,000,000 for a 15-month period.

The House action will be aired first in the Senate appropriations committee and later on the Senate floor, with clashes sure on both occasions.

ALL OF THIS MUST be accomplished within the next two weeks if Congress is to hold to the Republican leadership's decision to adjourn on June 19.

The scrap over dollars is actually only a part of the much more basic struggle within Congress over the extent of foreign policy and the support to nations in their fight to stand off Communism.

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40c a jar at all SUN RAY DRUG STORES

Mr. Truman said in Chicago Friday night that he thinks proposals to outlaw the Communist party "miss the point." He added that "you cannot stamp out Communism by driving it underground."

Most committee members thought the attorney general's opinion might follow the same theme in legal language.

But Senator Ferguson (R-Mich) served notice that he for one isn't going to be deterred by the kind of objections the President made.

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**U. S. Geographers Are Sent To Arctic for Map Corrections**

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—Up in the empty areas of the Arctic, expeditions of American geographers and weathermen are gathering data that would be critically needed by the United States if war should come.

They operate under the direction of two research units of the National Military establishment—the committee on geographic exploration and the committee on geophysical sciences.

Among their interests are the precise correction of maps for use when long range guided missiles become a practical weapon. Existing maps for various areas of the world are known to be inaccurate, sometimes showing cities, shorelines, streams and other objects many miles removed from their actual location.

Dr. L. R. Hafstad, executive secretary of the Defense department's research and development board, disclosed some of the hitherto secret information about the studies in an appearance before a congressional committee.

THE GEOGRAPHIC exploration committee, said Hafstad, has been concentrating recently on arctic exploration.

"There is a very strong effort in the military research and development field looking toward gaining some experience in this area and the geographic exploration committee was started mainly to cover these many expeditions being sent out and to make sure that they interchange information," he said.

"Our maps are not too accurate at the present time particularly in foreign areas."

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**Allies Plan to Unify Western Germany; New Trouble With Reds Seen**

WASHINGTON, June 6 (AP)—Western diplomats look for new trouble with Russia. This time it is over impending moves by the western powers to unify their zones of Germany and fit Western German production into the European recovery program.

Expected Soviet counter-moves may be indicated this week following publication tomorrow of western nation agreements completed a few days ago in London. They are up for final approval in the United States, Britain, France and the low countries.

Some American official experts on Russia believe that the Soviets may renew their efforts to force the western powers out of Berlin and make that city the headquarters for a body which would claim to be an "all-German" government.

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OBITUARIES

**MRS. EMMA ELIZABETH (SCHMIDT) OVERHOLZER**, widow of William B. Overholzer, died suddenly early Saturday morning of a heart attack.

Death came at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Boalton, of 121 EAST THIRD STREET, where Mrs. Overholzer had lived for the past two years.

The 77-year-old woman had been ill for the past several years, and two years ago was invited by Mrs. Boalton, her niece, to make her home with her.

Mrs. Overholzer was born in Pottstown and spent her life here. Her husband was a chauffeur until his death in 1919.

Mrs. Overholzer then began to work as a cook. She was employed in several local restaurants, and her last place was at the Wyndorff school, where she worked for ten years until 1939, when the cafeteria was closed.

A daughter of the late Conrad B. and Sarah A. (Sabod) Schneider, Mrs. Overholzer is survived by her sister, Mrs. John Moyer, of Sana-toga, and several nieces and nephews.

She was a member of the First Methodist church and of the What-soever Bible class of the Sunday school of that church until she became too ill to take an active part in the group's activities.

Services will be held from a funeral home at 139 High street at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, with the Rev. Horace N. Olewiler, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Interment will be in Edgewood cemetery.

**MRS. ELIZA MARIA FISHER**, 58, wife of William E. Fisher, lifelong resident of North Coventry township, died at her home in POTTSTOWN LANDING yesterday at 12 o'clock.

She had been in failing health since the first of the year.

She was born in Cedarville, daughter of the late Daniel and Anna Painter Shaner, and lived in Pottstown Landing the past 35 years.

She was a member of Cedarville Methodist church, the WO club and the WSCS of the church.

Surviving, besides her husband, are a son, Calvin, Pottstown RD 1; a daughter, Esther, wife of Leslie G. Strunk Jr., at home; two brothers, Frank Shaner, Bethlehem, and Morris Shaner, Hyattsville, Md.; two sisters, Florence, widow of David Reynolds, 128 Beech street, and Auldia, widow of Walter Runkler, 60 West Fifth street, Pottstown, and one grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at her home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Mt. Zion cemetery.

**HARRY L. SCHWAB**, 75, of 239 CHESTNUT STREET, died of heart disease at 2:50 a. m. yesterday in the Pottstown hospital, where he had been a patient since the past Wednesday. He had been a baker during much of his life.

Mr. Schwab was born in Pottstown, the son of the late Frederick

and Mary (Schung) Schwab, and was the husband of Cora (Kramer) Schwab.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Louis Patrizi, of 557 High street; one sister, Mrs. Clara Yocom, of 955 Queen street; and one grandson.

Services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from a funeral home at 139 High street, with the Rev. Charles V. Kachel, pastor of the Salem Evangelical and United Brethren church, officiating.

Interment will be private in Mt. Zion cemetery.

**SAMUEL P. CARPENTER**, of 27 NORTH ADAMS STREET, who had been a blacksmith at the Pottstown Machine company for the past 44 years, died yesterday afternoon in Spring City.

He had been visiting friends in the Twin-Borough community.

Mr. Carpenter, who would have been 78 years old June 23, had been suffering heart disease for the past six months but had been able to get around. The past week he worked at his job for several days. His death yesterday at 2 p. m. was caused by a heart attack.

He was a son of the late William and Carolyn (Butler) Carpenter, who moved to Lancaster county when Samuel was little more than a baby.

The blacksmith was educated in Lancaster county schools and when he was 16 years old, his family settled in Pottstown.

He was a member of the Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company.

Among Mr. Carpenter's survivors are his widow, Mrs. Bertha L. (Leighton) Carpenter, of 27 North Adams street; a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Steiner, of 27 North Adams street, one grandson and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements will be made today. Interment will be in Highland Memorial park.

**MRS. KATHRYN E. RAHN**, widow of Charles S. Rahn, died at 9:30 a. m. yesterday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Becker, of DOUGLASSVILLE. She was 77.

Mrs. Rahn was born in Amityville, a daughter of the late Daniel and Lucy (Boyer) Breitenstein, and spent her life in Amityville and Douglassville.

Her death culminated a four-year illness, during which she had been bedfast. She became ill in 1944, the same year her husband died.

Mrs. Rahn was a member of St. Paul's Reformed church, Amityville, and of the Ladies' Aid society of that church.

Her survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Becker; a sister, Mrs. Laura Einsel, of Birdsboro, and one grandson.

Services will be held from a Birdsboro funeral home at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, with further services in St. Paul's Reformed church, Amityville, at 8:15 p. m. The Rev. William E. Solly, pastor of St. Paul's, will officiate. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Auto Head Dies



Charles W. Nash, 84 (above) died yesterday in Beverly Hills, Calif. after a long illness. Nash, a farm boy who rose to be a millionaire automobile manufacturer for the auto which bears his name, was stricken with a heart ailment two years ago.

NASH DEATH —

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Long hours were the rule with him and for a stretch of 46 years he took no vacation. He kept abreast of the times in industrial development and when the war brought demands for changes he and his company met the challenge and quickly converted to manufacturing airplane engines, propellers and other fighting equipment.

He was modest in his successes. His philosophy was typified by the remark he once made: "I don't believe in classes. One man in this world is just as good as another if he is just and honorable."

Spring Mount Vel Given Military Rifles

Full military services were conducted for Pvt. Russell Clymer, of Spring Mount, who was killed in action in the North Africa campaign April 30, 1943, in the Heidelberg Reformed church Schwenkville, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Services were in charge of the Roy S. Leidy American Legion post, Schwenkville, and the Rev. Darwin Gass, pastor of the church.

V. T. Warfel officiated as chaplain for the American Legion post, and a firing squad fired three volleys. Interment was made in Schwenkville cemetery.

Bearers were the following members of the American Legion post: Earl Markley, Irvin Kner, Robert Fulmer, Leon Fulmer, John Bechtel and Franklin Cressman.

LEGION AUXILIARY —

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Harry Beasley, 25-year-old veteran, of 722 Beech street, who was shot and killed the past April 4.

At that time, John Gibson, a charter member of the Simms post, suggested that the women form an auxiliary and Mrs. Davis and others have been working on it since.

Any wife, widow, sister, mother or daughter of a former serviceman, plus former Wacs and Waves are eligible for membership, she said.

The officers elected were Mrs. Elizabeth McCray, first vice president; Mrs. John M. Waters, second vice president; Mrs. Mary Banks, secretary; Mrs. Helen Jones, treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Massey, chaplain; Mrs. Louise Mason, sergeant-at-arms; and Mrs. Kathleen Beasley, historian.

**SPEAKERS AT THE affair** included Mrs. Cardamone, who explained the functions of the office; Mrs. Mary F. Gaines, Eastern Pennsylvania auxiliaries officer; Mrs. Earl Stott, president of the Amole post auxiliary; Mrs. Harry Ginther, past president of the Amole auxiliary; Ginther, service officer of the Amole post, and Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. Davis's husband, Wesley, served in the Army four years, much of it overseas, and saw action in Germany. The couple's fourth wedding anniversary fell on the day the Japanese surrendered, Aug. 14, 1945. They have two children.

The new auxiliary will meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month. The next meeting, June 17 at 8 p. m. will be in Bethany Center.

More than 40 attended the meeting, which also was a regular session of the Simms post. Refreshments were served later.

JEWISH EDUCATION —

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The keynote address of the day was made by Dr. Abraham E. Millgram, educational director of the United Synagogue.

He demanded an intensive Jewish education for every Jewish boy and girl to have them "experience the worthwhileness of Jewish life and ideals," and said the new curriculum for congregational schools included six hours weekly of instruction in Hebrew.

Mrs. Louis Katzoff, of Easton, wife of the chairman of the conference, introduced a group of seven children, who performed Palestinian dances to the accompaniment of folk music.

**MISS FRANCES BENDER**, director of arts and crafts of the Philadelphia YMHA, showed several examples of art work done by children in her classes.

Luncheon and tea were served by members of the Sisterhood of the Pottstown synagogue.

Mrs. Sidney Pollock was in charge of the luncheon group, and Mrs. Emmanuel Berman was chairman of the group serving tea.

Synagogues in Reading, Norristown, Allentown, Phoenixville, Scranton, Bethlehem and Easton were represented at yesterday's meeting, at which the local synagogue members acted as hosts.

The seminars, workshops, demonstrations and discussions lasted from 10:30 a. m. until 6 p. m.

Women Participate In Orphanage Event

Twenty-seven women of First Baptist church traveled to Philadelphia for a day-long visit to the Baptist orphanage on its Anniversary Day Saturday.

Representing the Catherine Corbett circle and the Gnosios Bible class, the women visited and brought clothing to two children for whom they have assumed special responsibility—Margie Lam, 13, and Billy Lam, 9.

The churchwomen also saw a playlet staged by the children, with Margie playing a star role.

Making the trip were Mrs. S. Ernest Kulp, teacher of the Bible class and president of the circle, Mrs. Earl Miller, president of the class, and her husband, and Mrs. Roy Hoel, Mrs. Lewis Unruh, Mrs. Douglas Hotel, Mrs. Clayton Lachman, Mrs. Curtis Wilke, Mrs. Grace Highley, Miss Rotha Land.

Also Mrs. Elizabeth Gudebrod, Miss Pearl Schlegel, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Fine and Pamela and Cynthia Fine, Eleanor Slaybaugh, Mrs. Ronald McCann, Mrs. Lloyd Leh, Mrs. William Wentz, Mrs. Samuel Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rusinski and Sharon Rusinski.

TRUMAN MEETS —

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the shoulder on certain things that confront this country."

From Ace Tyrell, director of the Cheyenne frontier days celebration, the President got a printed, personal invitation to the event next month, plus the cowboy hat.

MR. TRUMAN grinned, said he'd like to see frontier days, and remarked: "I'm going to see how this hat works."

"You look like a real westerner," an onlooker told him.

Lieut. H. A. Dickson of the state police estimated the crowd at the governor's mansion at 2500. He figured perhaps as many more people saw the president along the way from the station.

From Cheyenne, the tour headed westward, with a stop at Sun Valley, Idaho, planned for tomorrow night.

In a talk at Grand Island, Nebr., where several hundred people swarmed over the railroad track, Mr. Truman exhibited his new silver spurs and said:

"These spurs are wonderful. When I get them on, I can take the Congress to town. Don't think I can't. I'll give them a trial just as soon as I get back to Washington."

At Kearney, a lot of people missed church to watch the Trumans drive a mile from the station to the First Baptist church.

**PALESTINE —**

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quarter fighting failed to dislodge the legionnaires from their machinegun posts in the thick walls of the old city.

Bernadotte, the United Nations mediator in Palestine, was grim-faced and noncommittal following his talks with Abdullah and Trans-Jordan Foreign Minister Fawzi Pasha Malki in Amman.

Ralph Bunche, of the U. N. secretariat, indicated the negotiations were not going well when he told newsmen: "We still have hope."

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ACCIDENTS —

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Saturday, his second new vehicle was parked on his side of the highway.

"They keep asking me, 'Where are you going to park it next?'" Johnson said last night.

He added, "As long as the insurance company holds out, I'll keep buying 'em."

**FOUR MEMBERS** of the Powell family, of 66 South Charlotte street, walked away with superficial injuries after their car was knocked over on its left side at King and Charlotte streets, at 12:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

In the car were the driver, Joseph Powell, 23; his brother, Francis, 25, and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell.

The parents suffered minor bruises, but the younger Powells went unscathed.

Powell told Patrolman Thomas Corum that he was driving south on North Charlotte street was half way through the King street intersection when another automobile, eastbound on King street, crashed into the right rear of his car, turning it on its side.

The other driver was Miss Nancy Schaeffer, of 24 East Fifth street. Miss Schaeffer said she was traveling on the green light, and that she "didn't see him coming until he was on top of me, and then I couldn't stop."

Powell had told police that he was driving on the amber light.

The entire left side of the Powell car was damaged, including both fenders, running board, windows, doors and the side of the roof. No estimate of damage could be made last night.

Only the front bumper of the Schaeffer automobile was damaged in the collision.

**JOHN LACKEY**, of 550 Walnut street, was not hurt at 7:43 p. m. Saturday, but his automobile tore up the front lawn and garden of a Glasgow road home when it went out of control.

He was driving south on Glasgow road, about to turn left into Walnut street, when he lost control of his vehicle.

The car ran through the front fence of Wilson H. Foelt, of 600 Glasgow road, went up on the lawn, sideways a small maple tree, ran over the cement path, broke a cement vase, knocked down the pipe railing at the front steps—and then stopped.

According to Motor Patrolman Lewis M. Borgiet and Patrolman Paul Gallowsky, who investigated the incident, both front fenders of Lackey's car were damaged.

**THE DRIVERS** of three cars in a rear-end collision on King street, near Hanover street, escaped uninjured at 11:10 a. m. Saturday.

They were Roy Smith, of Lincoln Park, Berks county; William T. Birt, of 1027 Queen street, and Leonard L. Drumheller, of 425 Beech street.

Drumheller was first in line, waiting for the light to change, and Birt was behind him. The brakes on Smith's car failed, he told police, and he crashed into Birt's vehicle, which ploughed into Drumheller's.

The complete front of Smith's car and the front grill, headlights, rear trunk and bumper of Birt's vehicle were damaged.

There was "no visible damage" to

Drumheller's automobile. Patrolman Robert Scheidt investigated.

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**HARRY HEILMAN**, 41, of Birdsboro RD 2, sustained a compound fracture of the left leg and a cut of the head when struck by a car Saturday night at 9:50 o'clock as he crossed Route 422 near the Red Lion inn, west of Baumtown.

**West Reading State Trooper** Joseph Dean said Heilman was struck, as he crossed the highway from south to north, by a car driven by Lott K. Yarger, 21, of Birdsboro.

Yarger told the trooper that a car in front of him swerved to the left to avoid striking the pedestrian, and that he swerved to the right but could not stop in time to prevent striking Heilman.

The injured man was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Reading. Damage to the left front fender of Yarger's car was about \$10.

**THREE FENDERS** were damaged last night at 10:05 o'clock in a two-car collision at High and Adams street.

**Emma W. Leightcap**, 237 Wilson street, said as she was driving east on High street, the car of Darwin Bixler Jr., of Pottsville, swerved from the second lane into the first.

Bixler said that as he pulled over to the first lane, her car struck his.

The Pottsville car's right front fender and bumper were damaged, as were the other car's two left fenders.

Motor Patrolman Earl J. Rhoads and Thomas Lawler investigated.

The Nile crocodile is said to kill more human beings than any other wild creature in Africa.

'Y' Staff to Attend Anniversary Event

The entire staff of the local YMCA will attend Founder's Day services at the Central YMCA, Philadelphia, on Wednesday as part of the "Y's" 104th anniversary.

Headed by Victor F. Patterson, general secretary, the delegation will consist of James F. Baird, youth work director, William B. Carden, extension director, and Donald Goodnow, director of health and physical education.

At 10:30 a. m. they will hear the featured speaker, the Rev. Ross Stover, pastor of Messiah Lutheran church, and will be guests at a luncheon at which Patterson will be one of the speakers.

Patterson is president of the Northeast and Southeast districts of "Y", embracing most of the south east portion of the state. The Southeast district is sponsoring the Philadelphia rally.

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Wife Charges Husband With Assault, Battery

John H. Walton, 551 Water street, will have a hearing before Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus of the Seventh ward on a charge of assault and battery. The date for the hearing has not been set.

Walton was arrested at his home at 10:35 a. m. Saturday on a warrant sworn out by his wife, by Motor Patrolman Stanley Borowy and Patrolman Thomas Corum.

He was held in a borough hall cell until 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when he was released upon payment of a \$500 bond.

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A miscellaneous shower was given at East Vincent Evangelical and Reformed church Friday night for Miss Catharine L. Funk, of near Zion's church, and George Sload, Royersford, who will be married in the near future.

With upward of 50 guests attending, games were played under the leadership of the Rev. Robert F. Brillhart, pastor, and refreshments were served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Funk, Mrs. Edna Sload, John Sload, Mrs. Clarence Powell, Miss Ruthann Powell, James Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Powell, Jerry Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph N. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne G. Hoffman, Miss Mary Anna Hoffman, Billy Hoffman, Mrs. Willis J. Yeager, Miss Anna C. Yeager, Mrs. Lloyd Mower, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleveland Gow, Ruth and Eleanor Gow, the Rev. and Mrs. Brillhart, Mary Jane Brillhart, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scheib, Mrs. Galena Leininger, Mrs. Harry J. Latshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Funk, Mrs. Harry Graham, Ronnie Graham, Anna and Mary Moyer, Mrs. Frank Taylor, Betty Ann, Jimmy and Tommy Taylor, Mrs. Willard Youngblood, Mrs. Joseph Bean, Douglas Bean, David Urner, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Funk and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Styer and son, Billy.

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**Letter Carriers Present Wallet to Rambo at Meeting**

Meeting as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Frederick, 403 South Fourth avenue, Royersford, Saturday night, members of Montgomery county Rural Letter Carriers' association paid tribute to Harry Rambo, 285 Green street, who recently retired.

Rambo, who left behind him 39 years of service, was presented with a wallet and the well wishes of his fellow members. The association had its routine business meeting and named delegates to attend the annual convention at the Abraham Lincoln hotel, Reading, July 12, 13 and 14. Named to attend were the president, William Kerber, Rein Gottshall, Herbert Barto, Rambo and Harry W. Frederick.

FOLLOWING the meeting, the Ladies' auxiliary met and named Mrs. Herbert Barto and Mrs. Harry Frederick delegates to the convention in Reading.

A social time followed and refreshments were served. Upward of 20 members attended the joint meeting.

Rambo, who retired in December, started his lengthy career of a rural mail carrier with the Royersford post office, remaining there until some years ago, when part of Royersford RD territory was merged with Collegeville.

Since that time he had been working out of the Collegeville office. Frederick, incidentally, also is a veteran in the business, having 31 years service.

**DEATHS—FUNERALS**

Funeral services for MRS. LELA MAY STAGER, wife of Robert Russell Stager, West Vincent township Stager, WEST VINCENT TOWNSHIP, were conducted in a funeral home at 331 New street, Spring City, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. R. F. Brillhart, pastor of East Vincent Evangelical and Reformed church. Interment was made in East Vincent Reformed cemetery. Bearers were Charles Funderwhite, John Jordan, Russell Wambold, Lloyd and Eugene and Elmer Lacy.

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Royersford Methodist church: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, Boy Scouts. Tomorrow night, 8 o'clock, Sunday school board. Wednesday night, 8 o'clock, mid-week prayer service. Thursday night, 7:30 o'clock, choir rehearsal. Friday night, 7 o'clock, youth week-end retreat begins at Camp Innabahn.

Spring City Methodist church: Tomorrow, 10 a. m. Junior Bible class and vacation school. Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, Bible study and prayer.

**PERSONALS**

Mrs. Howard Brunner and two children, Howard Jr., and Laura Lynn, Atlanta, Ga., are spending several weeks in Royersford at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Brunner, 213 Spring street. They will be joined later by Howard Brunner, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Brunner.

**Hospital Notes**

The following have been discharged from Phoenixville hospital: Asa W. Custer, Daniel Epright, Myrtle Taschner, Ruth Carl, Spring City; Elizabeth Lee, Royersford.

**CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY**

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# 35 Youthful Models Portray Fashions For Younger Set at Service League Show

Thirty-five tiny models, aged from 18 months to six years, stepped through the pages of a huge green and white Fairland book erected at the center back of the stage in the Brookside Country club Saturday afternoon, to show over 300 fond mothers, fathers and friends what the children will be wearing this Summer to play, swim and go church and parties in.

The very charming show was presented by members of the Junior Service League as an aid to the various charities they support. Taking honors with the fashion show was the Tom Thumb wedding which followed immediately with Miss Carol Binder, the bride, and young Robin Jeffries, the bridegroom.

Mrs. Douglas Schaeffer was the commentator on the youthful styles and operated the pages through which the parade started with James Moffet leading the parade in a pair of swimming trunks colorfully decorated with tropical fish. Over this he wore a blue and white striped seersucker robe. Second of the models was Marsha Zeigler in a jersey knit bathing suit covered with chenille beach coat.

Also in swimming, tights are little David Mack who sported a pair in rose colored lastex and terry cloth bathrobe. Little David stepped through the book, took one look at the crowd and was ready to leave, but spotting a balloon further down the runway, he trotted down to receive it, then graciously removed his coat for the on-lookers to see his tights.

C. J. Eppert trotted out, speedily, in a pair of boxer shorts in yellow and colorful robe of red, white, blue and yellow. Miss Carol Binder chose a three piece pique outfit featuring red checked gingham dog trim and matching ruffled panties, while little Nancy Moyer was prettily dressed in a gray chambray with red and white rick rack trim with matching panties.

David Ginchier sported a white pique dress-up suit with large pearl buttons. Next to appear in look-alike sister dresses were Janie and Kathryn Weikel. But tiny Janie decided to become temperamental and, after glumping the pleased, laughing crowd, turned her back and said, "No, No, No," and disappeared back into fairyland. Her sister carried on in a blue chambray play dress with peasant embroidery trim.

ERNEST SCHAEFFER was attired in a water repellent three piece suit in tan, while Carol Weber was cutely dressed in a party dress of white pique with peasant trim. Betsy Ruffin chose to appear in a green frock featuring an apron front. In party dress of yellow and green with heart trim Judy Callen received a big hand from the audience, as did Teddy Kemp in a yellow whiplash suit with Pennsylvania Dutch trim. Janie Keene appeared in a white organdy pinafore with matching bonnet and panties, while Eddie Hower was smartly dressed in a snazzy pair of jodpurs with shepherd's plaid shirt.

Suzie Drumheller was dressed for play in a suit bearing rumba ruffles. All ready for a party were Pamela and Janice Huggins in sister frocks of pink dotted swiss featuring hand smoked yokes, Joan Eppheimer entered the stage in a sun dress with scarecrows imprinted in yellow, pink, black and white.

Lindax and Curtis Lafayette stepped through the book together, Linda in an off the shoulder dubonnet gown with eyelet trim, and Curtis in an all wool flannel suit of dubonnet with gray whiplash shirt.

TINY SHARON HOUCK was gown in white and white organdy with criss cross collar and val lace trim. Once on she liked it so much she did not wish to leave and only a great deal of coaxing took her off the stage. Diane Kendig wore a celeste chambray with embroidery trim, while Lewis Holmes Raker was in a broadcloth suit, with ruffled collar.

For a hot Summer day and party wear Drew Fisher appeared in a white whiplash Eton suit, while Leslie Malone was very pretty indeed in a swiss dotted pinafore with matching bonnet. Ricky King was attired in a butcher linen suit of yellow with silver buttons, while Charles Horn was nattily dressed in a green and white seersucker suit of Eton style.

YOUNG TOMMIE THOMAS in a yellow and gray broadcloth, stepped through the book, gazed over the audience and promptly threw himself down on the stage and refused to budge, not even to get a balloon. Last to step on the stage

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Dawn Brownback, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brownback, 255 High street.  
Janice Rhoads, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rhoads, Pottstown RD 4.  
Shirley Stetler, 326 Ash street, Stowe.  
June Dawn Zink, 20 West Vine street, Stowe.  
Jack Yuros, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yuros, 68 South Charlotte street.  
John C. Jones, 427 King street.  
Charles Schlichter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schlichter, Sanatoga, aged six years.  
Dolores Fritz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fritz Jr., 316 Cherry street, aged seven years.  
Yesterday  
John Wojack, Merchants hotel.

## Harry Cornelius Weds Nora M. Fry in Swamp

At 10 o'clock on Saturday morning in the parsonage of the Swamp Lutheran church, Miss Nora M. Fry, 874 North Charlotte street, became the bride of Mr. Harry D. Cornelius, 235 Prospect street. The Rev. Edgar M. Cooper, pastor, officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in a white gabardine suit featuring gold accessories, and she wore an orchid corsage.

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# Woman's Page

CLUB NEWS

WEDDINGS

## Miss Etta Mae Baker And Willard Murray United in Marriage

A lovely church wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock when Miss Etta Mae Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, Kenilworth, was united in marriage with Mr. Willard Nyce Murray, son of Mr. Arthur Murray, Hanover Heights.

The rites were performed in St. John's Lutheran church, South Pottstown, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives with the Rev. Robert M. Lamparter, pastor, officiating. The altar was attractively trimmed with Summer flowers and ferns. Bridal music was furnished by Mrs. Harry Kunzelman, who sang several selections, accompanied at the organ by Miss Marion Collins.

Dressed in informal attire, the bride was radiant in a street length dress of pink broadcloth and white picture hat. She carried a huge bouquet of calla lilies designed with given in love-in-the-mist. She was given in marriage by her father.

HER SISTER, Miss Janet Baker served as maid of honor in a dress of pastel blue broadcloth, featuring an off-the shoulder neckline. She, also, wore a white picture hat and white accessories. Her flowers was a bouquet of white snapdragons and cornflowers.

Mr. Kenneth Murray, brother of the bridegroom, performed the duties of best man, while ushers were the Messrs. Leon Baker, brother of the bride, and Admire Murray, brother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Baker, mother of the bride, chose a crepe dress in pink with matching hat and white accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias.

FOLLOWING THE wedding, a reception was held for the couple at the Clover Leaf restaurant, after which they left for a two-week honeymoon through the Southern states. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends in their newly furnished home at Hanover Heights.

For traveling the bride chose a two-piece tailored suit with white accessories.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Murray are graduates of North Coventry High school. The bridegroom is employed by the Doehler-Jarvis corporation.

Guests were present for the wedding from the states of New York and New Jersey, Downingtown and Pottstown.



Miss Ann Pearlman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pearlman, Philadelphia, and until recently of 458 High street, was graduated from the Jewish hospital School of Nursing.

## Presbyterian Circle 6 Meets in Assembly Hall

Circle of the Woman's Association of Presbyterian church met recently in the assembly room with Mrs. Ralph Weiss, president, presiding, and Mrs. John Plash and Mrs. C. B. Welch in charge of devotions. Reports were given by Mrs. Sheldon O. Antrim and Mrs. Charles Miller.

Plans were discussed for a rummage sale to be held in the fall. Boxes were distributed for members to place a penny a day for the Navajo Indians.

The next meeting will be in the form of a picnic to be held at the country home of Mrs. Harry Lord, July 8 at 7 o'clock.

A quick and delicious dessert is one of steamed figs, a white cheese such as Camembert or Bel Paese, and crisp crackers.

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## Bridal Shower Held For Mary Hudock in Trinity Club Rooms

Miss Mary Hudock was pleasantly surprised with a miscellaneous surprise shower by her attendants, the Misses Irene Hudock, Bertha Pinkos, Ann Sovia and her mother, Mrs. Paul Kovach. The affair was held at the Holy Trinity club rooms, 437 South street.

Miss Hudock, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kovach, 170 South Washington street, will become the bride of Mr. Edward Pinkos, son of Mr. George Pinkos, 206 South Franklin street, Saturday, June 26, in the Holy Trinity church.

**THOSE ATTENDING WERE:**  
Mrs. Stella Bielecki, Mrs. Tessie Krepanosky, Mrs. Theresa Pinkos, Mrs. Anna Slinski, Mrs. Bertha Holingjak, Mrs. Margaret Axsmith, Miss Irene Hudock, Miss Helen Sperat, Miss Bertha Pinkos, Miss Ann Sovia, Miss Jane Hanth, Veronica Slinski, Mrs. Paul Kovach, Miss Sue Cuttillo, Mrs. Irene Landon, Mrs. Elizabeth Sheperack, Mrs. Mary Sovia, Mrs. Sophie Sovia, Mrs. Anna Zawaski, Mrs. Anna May Sovia and Mrs. Peggy Klaus.

Also Mrs. Verna Guss, Mrs. Rose Harmansky, Mrs. Anna Skopowski, Mrs. Ann Strogus, Mrs. Mary Feyko, Mrs. Marg Mitro, Mrs. Katie Pomponio, Mrs. John Pinkos, Mrs. Helen Buck, Mrs. Agnes Chieffo, Mrs. Carmela Sperat, Miss Frances Polintz, Mrs. Mary Fritz, Miss Cecilia Koren, Miss Helen Polintz, Miss Mary Ondo, Miss Ann Dinocenti and Miss Mary Sperat.

Also Miss Ann Koval, Miss Mary Skokowski, Miss Mary Ladjanski, Miss Mary Misko, Mrs. Mary Terwilliger, Miss Sadie Prince, Miss Mary Prince, Mrs. Mary Brazel, Miss Gloria Wagg, Mrs. Catherine Sovia, Miss Agnes Kovach, Miss Dolly Pinkos, Mrs. Ann Shirey, Mrs. Paul Bolonski, the hostesses and the guest of honor.

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## Doris L. Drumheller Becomes June Bride In Double Ring Lutheran Church Ceremony

Before an altar beautifully banked with palms, ferns and yellow snapdragons, Miss Doris LaRue Drumheller, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, became the bride of Mr. Stanley Schlichter in St. James Lutheran church, Limerick.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Drumheller 425 Beech street, while the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Schlichter, Limerick.

Officiating at the double ring ceremony was the Rev. William C. Leopold, pastor. In the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. Prior to and during the ceremony appropriate organ music was presented by Mr. Gordon Shanabrook.

THE BRIDE, WHO was given in marriage by her father, was radiant in a traditional gown of white satin with the bodice in white lace designed with an off the shoulder illusion neckline. The full lace sleeves tapered to a point over each wrist, while bits of lace insertions dipped into the very full satin skirt which ended in a long graceful train. Tiny self-covered buttons marched down the back of the gown.

Her fingertip veil of illusion scalloped edge net fell from a crown of orange blossoms. She carried a white prayerbook to which was fastened two white orchids and a shower of streamers intertwined with lover knots and lilies of the valley.

Miss Janet L. Drumheller, cousin of the bride, appeared as maid of honor in a gown of pink taffeta with an off the shoulder illusion net neckline. The Colonial gown featured a tightly fitted bodice which ended in a huge bustle and was attached to a full swing skirt. She wore matching mitts and a head with matching shoulder length veil. At her throat she wore a strand of pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of green carnations with green satin ribbon.

SERVING AS BRIDESMAIDS, in gowns identical in style to that of the maid of honor, were the Misses Nancy Schlichter, Laura Jean Morrow, both cousins of the bridegroom, and Elizabeth Marquet and Barbara Jane Oxenford. Miss Schlichter and Miss Morrow wore gowns of medium green taffeta, while Miss Marquet and Miss Oxenford wore gowns of lilac taffeta. All wore single strand pearls. The first two bridesmaids carried bouquets of lilac carnations, while the second set carried green carnations. Serving as flower girl was tiny

Carol Ann Wentzel, who was gown in white taffeta featuring a scalloped neckline and three rows of scalloped edging around the bottom of the dress. A sash of white taffeta tied to a large bow in the back. Appearing as ring bearer was Master Frankie Gallagher.

Mrs. Drumheller, mother of the bride, chose a pink crepe dress with black accessories, while Mrs. Schlichter selected a dress of gray crepe with pink accessories. Both wore corsages of pink carnations.

MR. ROGER L. Schlichter, brother of the bridegroom, performed the duties of the bestman, while ushers were the Messrs. Wayne Kreeker, cousin of the bridegroom, Woodrow Kline, Harry Wade and Raymond Overdorf.

Immediately following the wedding, a reception was held for the couple at the Elks' home after which they left for a honeymoon trip of unannounced destination.

For traveling the bride chose a black and white summer wool suit with black and white accessories and orchid corsage. Upon their return they will reside in Limerick.

Guests attended the wedding from Philadelphia, New Jersey, Delaware county and Reading.

Mrs. Schlichter graduated in 1944 from Pottstown High school and is employed in the office of the Doehler-Jarvis Corp. The bridegroom graduated in 1941 from Pottstown High school and is self-employed. He served for two years in the armed forces during World War II.

**Students to Be Honored At Buffet Supper Dance**  
A buffet supper and dance for the High school and college members of the Brookside Country club, and their friends, will be held at the club on Wednesday, June 16, at 8:30 o'clock.

The affair was arranged by the Junior activities committee, and reservations should be made with Mrs. J. Robert Gray, Mrs. Charles A. Baylor or Mrs. Stanley Skean.

Hostesses will be Miss Nancy Burdan, Miss Nancy Baylor, Miss Carolyn Gray and Miss Sandra Skean.

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### Lovely Umbra Church Ceremony Unites Miss Eileen Evans and T. Edmund Wells

One of the most beautiful of the June weddings performed this year was the umbra wedding Saturday afternoon of Miss J. Eileen Evans, who became the bride of T. Edmund Wells in St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church. An umbra wedding is one in which shades of yellow range from very light to orange giving a sunburst effect.

Miss Evans is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace U. Evans, 8 West Third street, while Mr. Wells is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Wells, 400 North Franklin street.

The double ring ceremony, which was performed at 2 o'clock by the Rev. Michael Schmidt before an altar beautifully decorated with palms and white snapdragons, was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives. Bridal music was furnished by Mrs. Charles Stouffer at the console of the organ and vocal selections were by Mr. James Bell.

THE BRIDE, who approached the altar on the arm of her father, was charmingly gowned in Chantilly lace over a satin foundation, featuring an illusion neckline outlined with a Queen Anne ruffle. The long fitted sleeves ended at a point over each wrist and was attached to a softly molded bodice which came to a point at the center front, where it joined the slim gored skirt that swept to a bunched fullness in the back to flow into a long graceful circular train. Her only jewelry was a diamond and pearl lavalier, a heirloom piece which her father had given her mother upon their marriage. It was next given to her older sister, Mrs. Frank Gross upon her marriage, and was borrowed by Miss Evans for the ceremony.

Her finger tip scalloped Chantilly lace veil was trimmed with small tucked edging of net and fell from a coronet of matching lace. She carried an arm bouquet of calla lilies with detachable orchid center.

SERVING AS MAID OF HONOR was Miss Mary Sell, who was gowned in duckling yellow marquisette over taffeta. The illusion neckline was edged in a ruffle forming cap sleeves and the fitted bodice was attached to a very full skirt with ruffles circling the skirt below the hipline forming a point in the center front. Her headpiece was a half crown of matching daisies and ribbons. She carried a hand spray of falling white daisies with satin streamers.

Mrs. Harry Overholzer and Mrs. Frank Gross, sisters of the bride, and Mrs. Bruce Clouser, Arlington, Va., appeared as bridesmaids in gowns fashioned identical with that of the maid of honor. Mrs. Overholzer was in a gown of amber lute marquisette, Mrs. Gross in a gown of citron marquisette and Mrs. Clouser in tangerine marquisette. They also wore headpieces of half crowns in matching daisies and ribbons and carried hand sprays of falling white daisies and ribbons.

APPEARING AS FLOWER girls were Miss Jayne Overholzer and Miss Gay Gross, both nieces of the bride. They wore gowns of white organdie with ruffled neckline and ruffled cap sleeves. The very full skirts were edged in wide ruffles. In their hair they wore yellow daisies and from tiny baskets of yellow daisies they dropped petals before the bride as they came down the aisle.

Mrs. Evans, the mother of the bride chose a gown of powder blue crepe with Miniver Rose design and draped skirt. With this she wore white accessories and white hat, trimmed with Miniver Roses. Mrs. Wells was attractive in a black crepe with lace inserts and white accessories. Both wore corsages of gardenias.

Mr. William Stahley Jr., Schwenkville, served as best man with Mr. Frank Gross, Mr. Harry Overholzer, Mr. Kenneth Klumpp, Limerick and Mr. Hathaway Geyer, as ushers.

FOLLOWING THE wedding a dinner for the immediate families and attendants was held at the Howard Johnson restaurant after which the couple left for an extended tour of an undisclosed destination. For traveling the bride chose a suit of light blue green with multi-colored reptile shoes and bag. She wore her orchid corsage from the bridal bouquet.

Upon their return they will be at home to their friends in their newly furnished apartment at 400 North Franklin street.

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boughner, 53 West Third street, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sell, Bally, became the parents of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

### Swamp Students Travel By Bus to Hershey

As a final get-together, 34 students and 11 mothers from the Swamp school took a bus trip Friday afternoon visiting at Roadside America near Hamburg and traveling to Hershey where they visited the Rose garden and toured the Hershey Chocolate factory.

They finished the afternoon in the amusement park there, being provided with free tickets for rides. Funds for the trip were made through the sale of newspapers and cake sales sponsored by the Swamp PTA.

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### Social Calendar

Girls Swimming class—Meet tonight in the YMCA from 7 to 8 p. m. Mrs. William Eagle, instructor.

Ladies Auxiliary of Knights of Columbus—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the Kulp building. The first anniversary will be observed at a social following the business meeting, with Mrs. Verna Hadley in charge.

Business Girls of the YWCA—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the YWCA, followed by Show Night.

Senior Auxiliary of Pottstown hospital—Meeting today at 2 o'clock in the nurses home.

City Council PTA—Meeting tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the Rupert school for election and installation of officers. Following the business meeting, the Rupert PTA will hold a reception for old and new officers.

Lady Orioles Drill Team—Regular monthly business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the post home. Games will be played and members were asked to bring prizes and cakes.

Pottstown High School Commencement Dance—Tonight from 9 to 12 o'clock in the Sunnybrook ballroom. Sponsored by class of 1948, with Matt Gillespie and his orchestra.

20th Century Book Club—Meeting tonight at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. William Weller, 1121

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Discharged: Mrs. Constance Kramer, Pottstown RD 4, maternity; Mrs. Helen Yokok, Douglassville RD 1, maternity; Herbert Kerling, West Reading, surgical; Ernest Gehris, Sassamansville, medical; Viola Grow, 960 North Charlotte street, surgical; William Ehly, Kimberton, surgical; Samuel Straub, 6 North Hanover street, medical; Linda Baldwin, 296

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Prepare For It First. A SUCCESSFUL throw-in-play, colloquially called an "end-play," impossible without preparation. To do this, the declarer must play the preceding tricks in such a way that his victim is helpless when finally thrown into the lead. Correct preparation consists of eliminating from the victim's hands, or from the declarer's two holdings, all cards which would enable the victim to make a harmless return. Partial preparation is just as useless as no preparation at all.

♠ A J 5 3  
♥ A 7 5 2  
♦ A Q 10  
♣ 6 2

♠ K 10 6 4  
♥ K 10  
♦ 8 6 3  
♣ 7 5 4

(Dealer: East. North-South vulnerable.)

East South West North  
1 ♠ Pass Pass Dbl  
Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠  
Pass 1 ♠

West made the natural lead of the club J, which East overtook with his Q. He also scored the K and then led his spade 9. South, who was not too familiar with the various kinds of end-plays, noted that his only other possible losers were in diamonds, and that he could prevent one of those if West had either the K or the J. So he played for that.

Winning the third trick with the spade K, he ruffed his last club, scored the spade A, heart K and heart A, then led the spade 5 to the Q. Now he led the diamond 3 and, after the 10, East won with the

J and returned the heart 8, which South trumped with his spade 10. Then he tried the second finesse, of the Q. But that lost to the K, setting him.

Preparation for a throw-in play would have been extremely simple for South. After winning the third trick with his spade K, he should have ruffed his last club as he did, scored the heart K and A, ruffed the third heart, led to the spade A, ruffed out the dummy's last heart and then led for the diamond 10 finesse. When East won that, he would have been end-played truly. With only the diamond K-10, from which a lead would have been into the A-Q, and a club, his return would have given South the contract. A club return would have brought a ruff in the dummy and a discard of South's last diamond.

The mistake South actually made was in leaving a heart in the dummy, so that East could safely return the suit. Elimination of it by ruffing, before the first diamond lead, would have rendered East hors de combat.

(Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.)

How should South play for 3-No Trumps after West leads the 9 of the hearts East bid, and after the hold-up the J is returned?

Mr. Tims, Philadelphia, is spending a few days with Frederick Heinze and family.

Mrs. Ruchy, East Greenview, spent an evening with Mrs. Elizabeth Grubb.

Mrs. Abraham Berger, of Perkiomenville RD, spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gabel.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rahn, Allentown, spent the weekend at their cabin in Perkiomenville.

The flash of a krypton lamp lasts only 17 millionths of a second.

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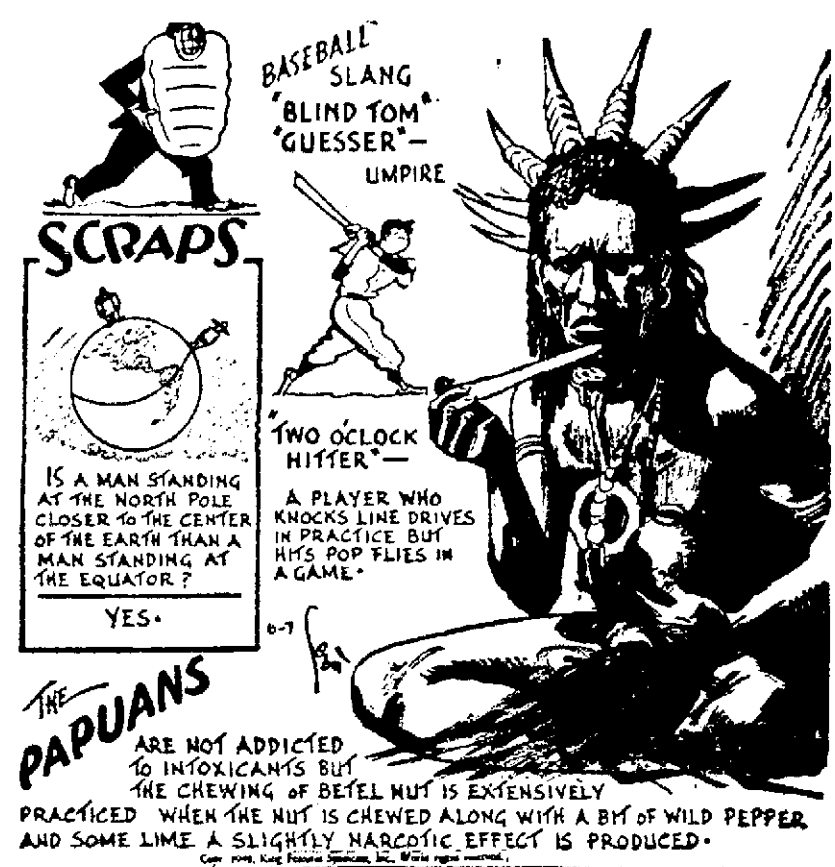
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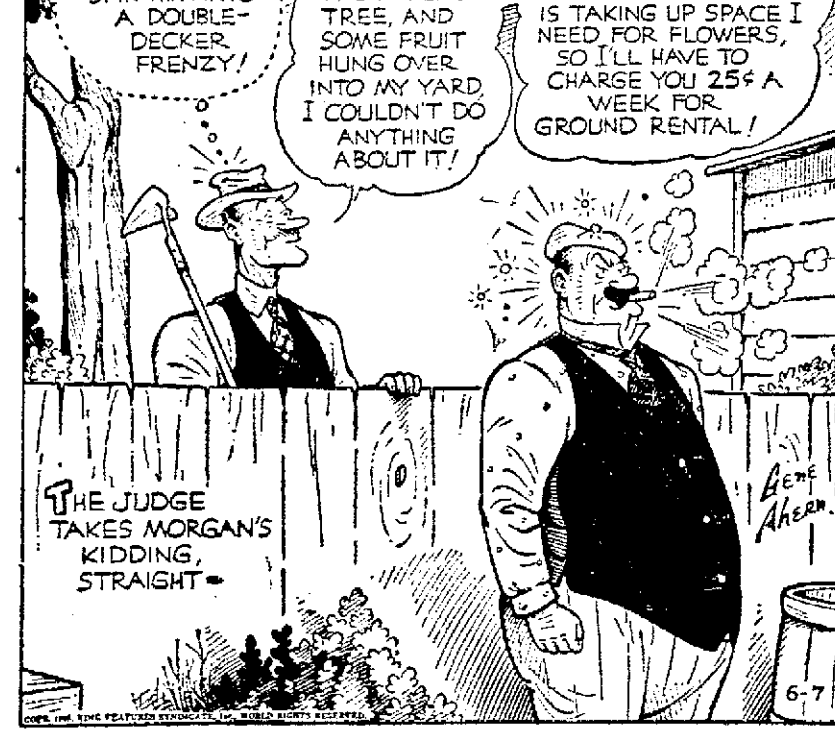
## It's Queer But True



THE PAPAUNS ARE NOT ADDICTED TO INTOXICANTS BUT THE CHEWING OF BETEL NUT IS EXTENSIVELY PRACTICED WHEN THE NUT IS CHEWED ALONG WITH A BIT OF WILD PEPPER AND SOME LIME A SLIGHTLY NARCOTIC EFFECT IS PRODUCED.

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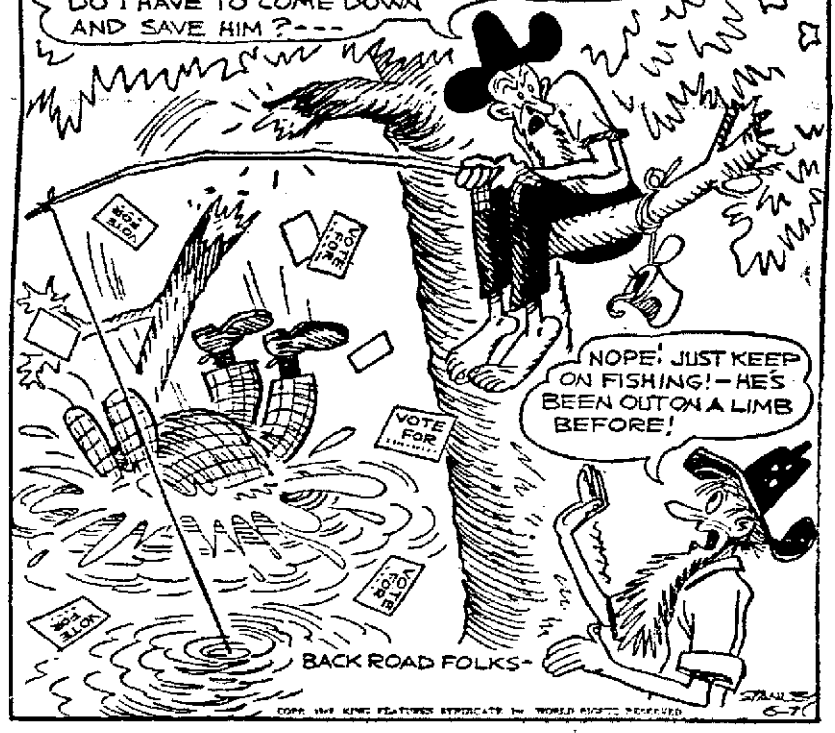
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## The Old Home Town by Stanley



## TODAY'S Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. A blemish
2. Talk
3. Frong
4. Impolite
5. The betel palm
6. Semblance
7. Cover with wax
8. Viper
9. Mother (child's term)
10. Sun god
11. Young dog
12. God of pleasure
13. To go on shipboard
14. One's father's sister
15. Without rays
16. Pass over tightly
17. Muse of lyric poetry (poet)
18. Tented
19. Shoshonean Indian
20. Note of the scale
21. Part of "to be"
22. Goddess of harvests (It.)
23. Extinct bird
24. Influences by exerting power
25. Path of a sphere
26. Strip of woven cotton
27. Uprising

DOWN

1. Body of water
2. Wharf
3. At one time
4. Beverage
5. Brittle
6. Protuberance
7. Girl's name
8. Inner coat of seed (Bot.)
9. Measure of land
10. The Orient
11. Little auks
12. Lever
13. Let it stand (print.)
14. Dexterosity
15. Dry, as champagne
16. River (Switz.)
17. King of Judah
18. Before
19. Cabbage salad
20. Defines
21. Peculiarity
22. Chimney
23. Dirt
24. Overturn
25. Leather unit
26. Flask for oil
27. A drop (archaic)
28. Old coin (Gr.)
29. Monetary unit (Latvia)
30. Openings (anat.)

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ANVIL FOR GIBBET

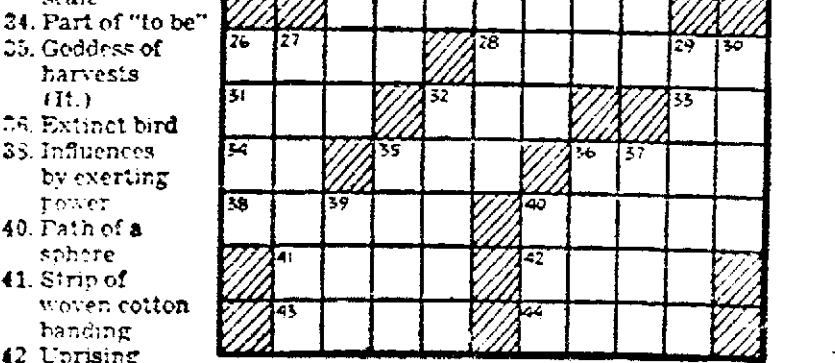
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ALLY WAIT GAT BAND WA

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AGAG ARTIL KATE GATE

Saturday's Answer



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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Saturday's Cryptoquote: LOVE MOST CONCEALED DOTH MOST ITSELF DISCOVER—DAVIDSON.

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# Miss Mabel A. Grofe Crowned Queen at Bicentennial Ball

Crowned by Marie E. Henne, Reading's bicentennial queen, Mabel A. Grofe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Grofe, of Boyertown RD 1, was named Boyertown High school's bicentennial queen at the school's bicentennial ball held the past Saturday night in the gymnasium.

Promptly at 10 p. m., Miss Henne placed a crown of red roosebuds on Miss Grofe's head and the local queen, surrounded by nine maids of honor, took her seat in a chair on a raised dais amid a bevy of Summer flowers. Three yellow roses were on top of the crown and while were fastened together with white ribbons.

Maids of honor were Barbara Bernhart, Nancy Fisher, Affie Haddad, Jacqueline Kline, Mary Jane McCusker, Anita Reminger, Nancy Renninger, Eleanor Swavely and Dolores Zern.

THE BALL ATTRACTED the largest crowd of the year, with more than 300 eager spectators viewing the coronation. It was sponsored by the high school yearbook.

Miss Henne arrived at 9:45 o'clock escorted by Kenneth Nyce, editor-in-chief of "The Cub," student newspaper. She proceeded to the band stand, where Paul S. Hagen Jr. introduced her. The blonde Reading queen spoke briefly, expressing her appreciation of having been invited to Boyertown. It was her first official appearance here.

Miss Henne wore a green gown with a net skirt and an underskirt of light green and white. She wore a black evening wrap. Miss Grofe was attired in a rose-colored off-the-shoulder gown.

After she was introduced to the crowd, Miss Henne met staff members of high school publications and other prominent students.

MISS HADDAD, WHO will edit the 1949 yearbook, was general chairman of the ball. She was assisted by staff members of the yearbook and newspaper.

The gymnasium was decorated with white paper streamers, a white picket fence and the dais upon which Miss Grofe, Boyertown's queen, was crowned.

Wanda G. Gresh, editor of the 1948 yearbook, announced the winner for the title of high school bicentennial queen. She withheld Miss Grofe's name until the conclusion of her announcement, giving first such vital statistics as age, residence, color of hair, height and weight. Following the coronation, Miss Henne and Miss Grofe led a march of the maids of honor around the gymnasium.

Music was provided by the high school dance band under Hagen's direction.

# Vocalist to Assist At Church Recital

The pupils of Mabel G. Dellicker will give their annual recital tomorrow at 7:45 p. m. in Trinity Evangelical Congregational church, South Washington street.

They will be assisted by Theodore Bradford, vocalist. Taking part will be Clifford Heli, Robert Weller, Lois Johnson, Elaine Johnson, Betty Focht, Dolores Meyers, Clark Shanley, Shirley Bernhard, Louise Rabe, Mary Lou Bower, Fern Hoffman, Jean Hartman, Richard Stengel, Eleanor Frain, Nancy Landis, Bertha Koons, Shirley Heydt, Dorothy Simmons, Anna Simmons, Lorraine Conrad, Gloria Miller, Lucille Schott, Arline Gehman, Mildred Wright, Margaret Miller, Barbara Petrillo, Aaron Longacre, Ruth Weller, Sylvia Miller and Bradford.

# Boyertown Classified

**Deaths**  
CONRAD—In Pottstown, on Sunday, June 6, 1948, Eva Mae (Moyer) Conrad, wife of William R. Conrad, aged 32 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Linwood W. Ott funeral home, Warwick St., Pottstown, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Highland Memorial park, Pottstown. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (G-1)  
SWEINHART—In Boyertown RD 2, on Sunday, June 6, 1948, A. Louise (Dahms), wife of Arthur M. Sweinhart, aged 53 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in St. Paul's cemetery, Pottstown. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Schwenk)

# Card of Thanks

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We wish to thank relatives, neighbors, friends and members of Boyertown Next 22 Fraternal Order of Orioles, for their many acts of kindness, for sympathy extended and for the many beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of Francis S. Stahle. The FAMILY

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## 800 March in Bally Firemen's Parade; First Aid Kit Presented to Host Company

Nearly 800 firemen, auxiliary members, musicians and members of civic groups jammed the town of Bally the past Saturday as they marched in the Oley Valley Fire Zone 6 parade, their numbers swelled by several thousand who witnessed the procession.

Host for the event was Goodwill Fire company, which was to house its new pumper but was unable to do so because the fire apparatus was damaged in an Indiana crash as it was being delivered to Bally.

The Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company, of Pottstown, the unit which was to house the apparatus, formally presented the host company with a first aid kit to be mounted on the new truck upon its arrival. Presentation was made by Henry Schmoeyer, president of the Pottstown company. Fire Chief Muttler accepted the gift.

Schmoeyer was introduced by Frank Rowe, retired battalion chief of the Philadelphia Fire department, one of the speakers.

WARREN "RED" KNOBE was general chairman of the parade committee and he introduced the speakers at the event. Main address was made by the Rev. Frank W. Ruth, of Bernville. State senator and chaplain of the county firemen's association.

"Berks county has the most efficiently organized volunteer firemen setup in the United States," the Rev. Ruth declared.

Greetings and a word of thanks to the host company were expressed by Howard Adams, president of the county association, Burgess Joseph Quigley, Russell Witman, president of the Goodwill company, and Chester Yergey, president of Bally borough council, welcomed the visitors to the borough.

OTHER VISITING officials who were introduced included: Charles Rudy, of Mt. Penn, president of the Oley Valley zone; Jonas Moyer, of Laureldale, county fire marshal, and Charles Newcomet, of Lower Alsace township, treasurer of the zone.

Following the parade, the visiting officials and the state troopers and Pottstown fire police, who directed traffic during the parade, were entertained at a baked ham dinner in the borough hall. Free refreshments were served at the borough school.

Participants in the parade included: Barto Fire company; Oley Valley Post 878, American Legion band; Oley Fire company, Gibraltar Fire company, Keystone Fire company of Bechtelsville, Milford band, Community Volunteer Fire company of Lower Alsace township, Stony Creek Mills.

ALSO GRAND ARMY OF the Republic Cadets Drum and Bugle corps, of Reading; Keystone Fire company of Boyertown, with ladies' auxiliary; Nuss - O'Hara - Todd Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars Drum and Bugle corps, of Norristown; Mt. Penn Fire company, Herbert Paul Lentz post, American Legion, Drum and Bugle corps, Allentown.


Also Liberty Fire company, New Berlinville; Reiffert Fire company, Reiffert Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts; Winona band, Wyomissing; Pottstown band; Friendship Hook and Ladder company, Boyertown.

Also Monarch Fire company, Monocacy; Stonersville Fire company, ladies auxiliary; Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company, of Pottstown; ladies' auxiliary, Birdsboro American Legion Post band; Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Camp Fire Girls from Bally, Boyertown and Bechtelsville.

THE BALLY FIREMEN have not been notified when they may expect their new truck, but a housing ceremony will be conducted when it arrives.

Officers of the company include: president, Witman; secretary, Paul Schultz; treasurer, Alex Stump, and financial secretary, Paul Reichard.

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# DEATHS - FUNERALS

A LOUISE (DAHMS) SWEINHART, 33, wife of Arthur M. Sweinhart, of BOYERTOWN RD 2, died at her late residence yesterday at 4 a. m., following a stroke suffered a month ago.

She was a native of Kellogg, Iowa, a daughter of the late Augustus and Augusta (Presang) Dahms, and was a member of the Christ Lutheran church, Spangville.

Besides the husband, there survive two children, Marie and Edmund, both at home; also six sisters and brothers: Helen and Walter, 703 Grant street, Pottstown; Edmund, Sanatoga; Elsie, wife of Chester Kirkoff, of Glenmoore RD 1; Gertrude, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia; and Alma, wife of Edward Boyle Jr., Audubon.

Funeral services will be held from a funeral home at 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, Wednesday at 2 p. m., the Rev. Hobart W. Tyson, pastor of Christ Lutheran church, Spangville, officiating. Interment will be made in St. Paul's cemetery, Amityville.

MRS. EVA MAE (MOYER) CONRAD, 32, wife of William R. Conrad, 39 NORTH READING AVENUE, BOYERTOWN, died last night at 6:45 o'clock at Pottstown hospital where she had been a patient one week.

She was a daughter of the late Tobias H. and Emma Jane (Hess) Moyer.

Mrs. Conrad was a member of Trinity Reformed church, Bechtelsville, and was a charter member and past president of the Ladies Auxiliary of Fraternal Order of Orioles, Pottstown. She also was affiliated with the Navy Mothers and Lady Reindeer, both of Pottstown.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Lamar W. Heydt, Boyertown, and Elwood T. Conrad, Gilbertsville RD 2, five grandchildren and two sisters, Sallie, wife of Elmer Hutchinson, Philadelphia, and Edna, wife of Charles Schwager, Bechtelsville.

Funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a Warwick street funeral home. The Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, will officiate. Interment will be made in Highland Memorial park, Pottstown.

Funeral services for FRANCIS C. STAHLER, husband of Chrissie (Kreidler) Stahler, of 215 NORTH READING AVENUE, BOYERTOWN, were held from a funeral home at 124 West Philadelphia avenue yesterday at 2 p. m.

Continued services were held in New Jerusalem church, where the Lutheran pastor, the Rev. Wilson H. Hartzell, officiated. Burial was made in the adjoining cemetery. Bearers were fellow-officers of Boyertown Next 22, Fraternal Order of Orioles: Lester K. Fryer, Paul R. Keyser, Edwin S. Conrad, Arthur H. Bahr, Curtis D. Schaeffer and Walter A. Yergey.

# Woman's Club Plans Flower Show Tomorrow

Installation of new officers and a flower show are scheduled at the last regular meeting of the Women's club of Boyertown tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in IOOF hall.

The flower show is under the auspices of the art and garden divisions with Mrs. Isaac Stauffer and Mrs. Mark Campbell as chairmen. All members were urged to cooperate by submitting more or more arrangements. The exhibits should be brought to the hall by 11 a. m. First, second and third prize ribbons will be awarded for the best entries in each class.

# Council Plans Action On Zoning, Curfew

Boyertown borough council will meet in regular monthly session tonight at 8 o'clock in Town hall.

Among items of unfinished business is the matter of zoning, which has been dormant for the past six months, and a curfew for young people in the borough.

The curfew evoked much interest on the part of local citizens. It was proposed at the May meeting by Burgess James A. Fritz. Although no official vote on the issue was taken, several councilmen strongly favored a curfew while several opposed it.



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Old Winter oil is still in the crankcase and they have failed to get a Spring lubrication job.

That, of course, means you are flirting with trouble, with a possible breakdown of your automobile and costly garage bills. Replacement parts are staring you in the face.

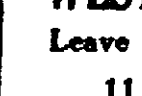
## COLEBROOKDALE

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The road board of supervisors of Douglas township have changed their meeting night from the first Friday of the month to the first Monday of each month at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Storm and children, Sandra and Nancy, of Washington, D. C., visited Mrs. Martha Venzke and family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Magee and family were at Heckersville, visiting George Meko and family.



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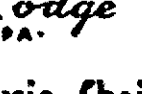
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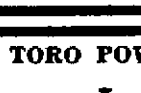
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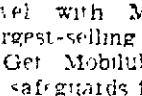
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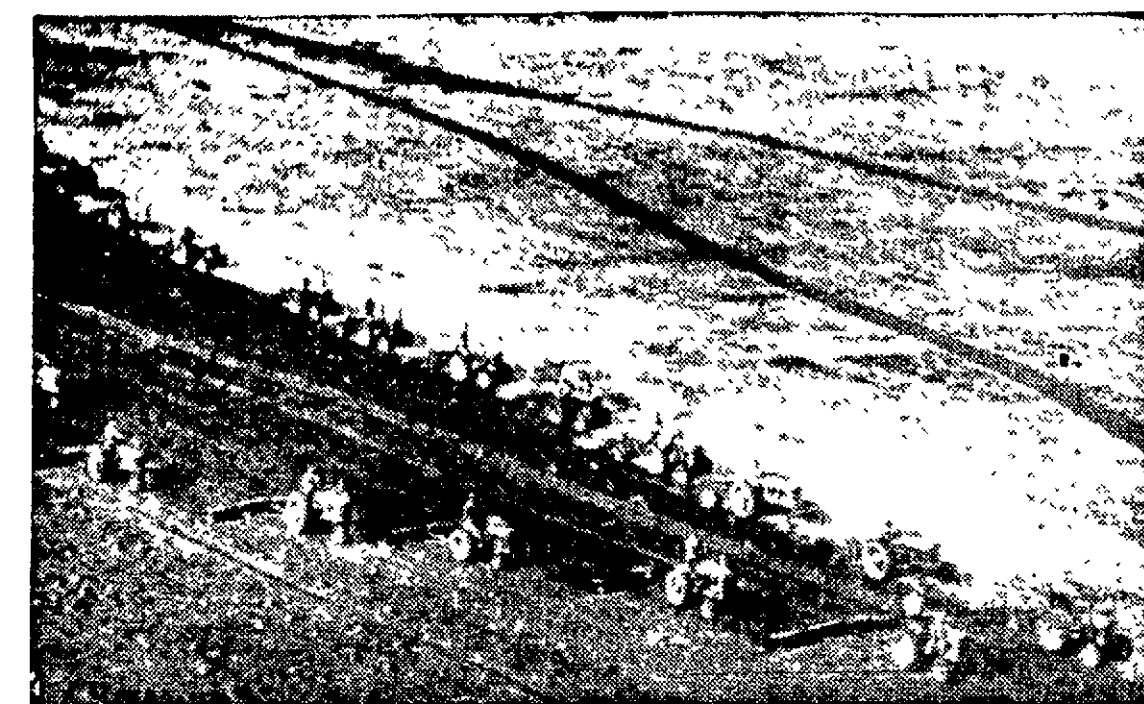






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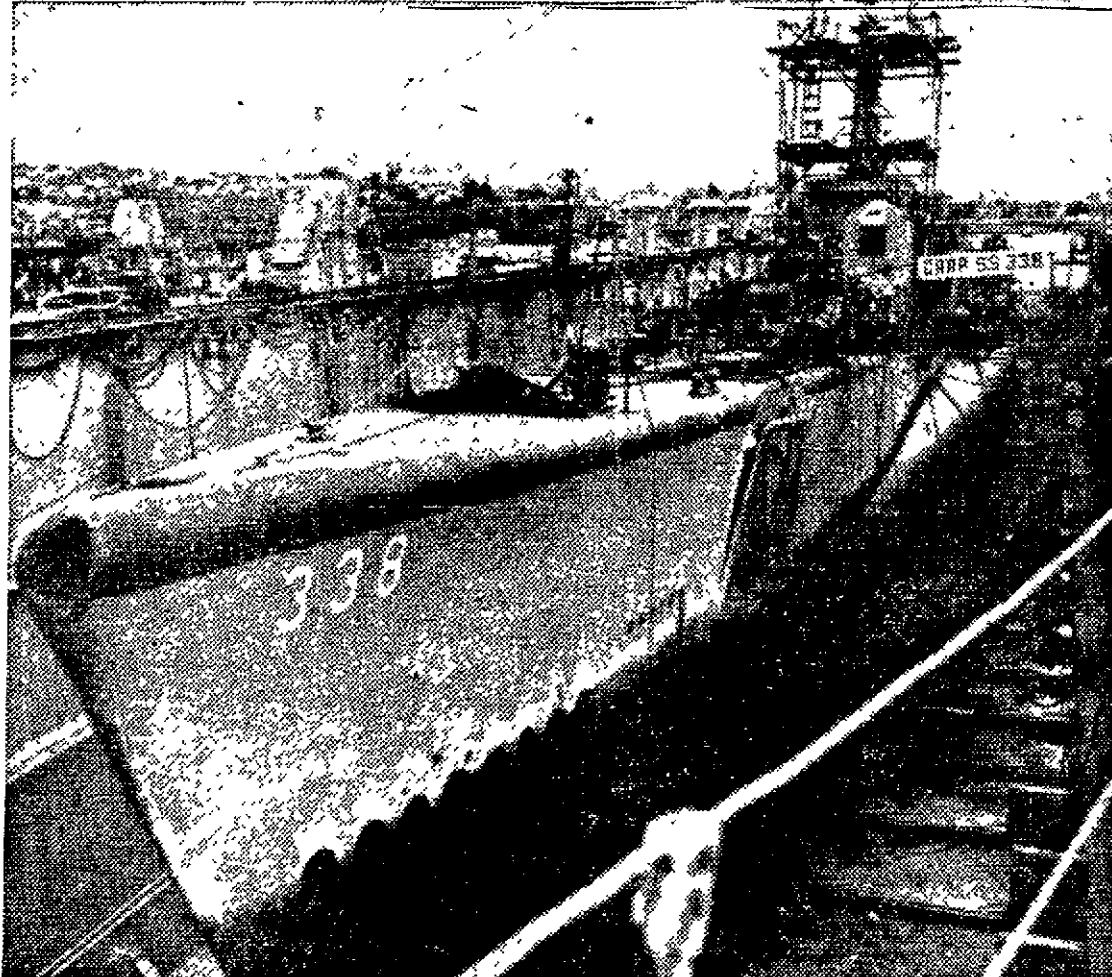
Members of the Lakota, N. D. Lutheran church manned tractors to pull plows, discs, harrows and seeders to break 216 acres of land and plant it with flax—all in the same day. Money received from the crop will go to pay off a \$3000 mortgage on the parsonage. Cash donations paid for the seed. Equipment, fuel, labor and use of the land were donated. The light part of the picture shows grass on the part of the field not plowed at the time of the photograph.



Loaded coal cars are crumpled like tin cans when the locomotive and 20 cars of a Harrisburg-Philadelphia fast freight piled up on a spur of the Reading Company's Lebanon Valley branch near Reading, Pa. Three members of the train crew were slightly injured.



Fire which swept 11 business establishments in downtown Duluth, Minn., is shown consuming the Rudolph Furniture Store, where it started. The flames are leaping across First street to attack the nine-story Board of Trade building (extreme right) where a number of offices were burned out.



Navy officials flatly deny charges that U. S. submarine Carp was bombed mistakenly by American fliers. Charge was made in Washington by Congressman Hugh D. Scott (R), Pennsylvania, during speech criticizing service fliers. The Carp, in drydock at Mare Island Naval shipyard at Vallejo, Calif., shows no indication of reported damage by depth bombs.



Life of little Terry Johnson, 9 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnson of Culver City, Calif., depends on ability of Dr. Alfred Black, chief surgeon of Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md., to perform delicate operation never before performed on human. Terry has opening between two chambers of his heart. As result, not enough blood is pumped to other parts of body.



Schoolboy traffic guard Anton Macak, 14, who lost his right leg below the knee while saving small child from death under wheels of a moving freight train in Chicago, is comforted in hospital by his mother, Mrs. Frances Macak. He stumbled while pushing the child off the tracks. The young hero wanted a two-wheeled motor bike. Now he wants a three-wheeler.



Irma Lang, an unmarried young woman who needs a house bad enough to build it herself, mixes mortar to revive Herman Bolard, 72, in a Chicago courtroom after Bolard collapsed with a heart attack. Thomas Campbell, 15, holds the hand of his grandfather, who was a witness in a malicious mischief case. Bolard's collapse came just before he was scheduled to be finished by Christmas.



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Estimated damage of \$100,000 is caused when blast touches off pillar of flames hundreds of feet high at Union Oil company's \$80,000,000 refinery at San Pedro, Calif. Greater disaster was averted by heroism of Ray Pillsbury, plant employee who braved flames to shut off valve controlling flow of crude stock to cracking unit. Pillsbury was burned.

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OVERHOLTER—On Saturday, June 5, 1948, Emma Elizabeth (nee Schmeier) wife of the late William B. Overholter, aged 77 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Kepner and Romich, Funeral Parlor, 139 High St., Pottstown, Pa., on Tuesday, June 8, at 2 p. m. Interment in Edgewood cemetery. Friends may call Monday evening 7 to 8:30 (Kepner and Romich)  
RIGNER—On Thursday, June 3, 1948, Daniel W., husband of the late Jennie E. (nee Yohn) Rigner, aged 50 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Kepner and Romich, Funeral Parlor, 139 High St., Pottstown, Pa., on Monday, June 7, 1948 at 2 p. m. Interment in Pottstown cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening 7 to 8:30 (Kepner and Romich)  
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### Bureau to Complete Plans For Employees' Program

Members of the Mercantile bureau of the Pottstown Chamber of Commerce will make final plans for the annual employees' entertainment program, when they hold their luncheon meeting at the Elks club at noon today.

The entertainment will be held at Sunnyside, June 16.

Jack Hoffman and Albert C. Shute, co-chairmen of the Bureau of U. S. Security Bond campaign, will continue their drive at today's meeting.

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## Pottstown's Church Calendar

**LUTHERAN**  
Emmanuel, the Rev. Luther A. Krieger, pastor. Today, Altar service at 8:30 a. m. (also 10:30 a. m. church council). 8 p. m. Girl Scout Troop committee at home of Miss Hazel Souter. 10:30 a. m. Sunday school. 8 p. m. church choir at usual times.

St. John's, South Pottstown, the Rev. Robert M. Lamparter, pastor. Today, Luther League, 7 p. m. Tomorrow, Junior choir, 6:45 p. m. Thursday, High school choir, 7 p. m. Senior choir, 7:30 p. m. Monday through Friday, vacation church school, 9:15 to 11:15 a. m.

Grace, the Rev. Asa S. Wohlsen, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Luther League at Sunnyside, 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, Young Women of Grace at home of Mrs. Walter Dames, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Junior choir, 4 p. m. Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.

Transfiguration, the Rev. Theodore L. Fischer, pastor. Today, Junior and chapel choir banquet, 6 p. m. Wednesday, Women's Missionary society picnic at home of Mrs. Thomas F. Scott, 4 p. m. Thursday, Mothers' chorus, 7 p. m. Senior choir, 7:45 p. m.

St. Peter's, Stowe, the Rev. Kenneth R. Anderson, pastor. Today, Girl Scouts, 7 p. m. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Federation of Men's Bible class.

**METHODIST**  
Searles Memorial, the Rev. James D. Matchette, pastor. Today, official board meeting, 7:45 p. m. Tomorrow, church social, 6:30 p. m. Rachel circle at home of Mrs. C. R. Thomas, 11 Diamond street, 7:45 p. m. Wednesday, midweek service, 7:30 p. m.

First, the Rev. Horace N. Olewiler, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m. Tomorrow, Ladies Aid society, 8 p. m. Wednesday, hospital sewing, 9 a. m. Teachers and officers, 8 p. m. Thursday, church choir, 8 p. m.

**BAPTIST**  
Second, the Rev. H. L. Butler, pastor. Today, Missionary society at home of Mrs. Lulu B. Smith, 628 Lincoln avenue, 8 p. m. Tomorrow, Senior choir, 8 p. m. Ushers meeting in home of Mrs. Beatrice Nickens Douglassville, 8 p. m. Wednesday, Junior choir, 7:30 p. m. Monthly meeting of board of trustees in officers' room, 7:30 p. m. Pastors aid club in home of Mrs. Elizabeth McCray, 514 Grant street, 8 p. m. Thursday, weekday prayer service, 8 p. m.

First, the Rev. Delaine E. Story, pastor. Today, fellowship hour planning committee, 7:45 p. m. at home of Mrs. Norris Ottenger, 115 Queen street, 7 p. m. Fidelity class at home of Mrs. Ames Ziegler, Linerck, co-hostess, Mrs. Robert M. Story, 8 p. m. Wednesday, Fellowship hour sponsored by Gnosis class, guest speaker, Mrs. Eugene Smith, theme, "Christian Home Life" music by Fannie Cressinger, of Herndon, 7:45 p. m.

**REFORMED**  
Trinity, the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor. Today, Brownie scouts, 4 p. m. Tomorrow, Mothers' class anniversary banquet at Boyer Towne Inn, 8:30 p. m. Consistory, 7:30 p. m. Fidelity class, 8 p. m. Federation of Men's Bible classes, 8 p. m. Thursday, Missionary society at home of Mrs. C. C. Burdian, Mrs. John B. Frantz, leader, 2 p. m. Friday, Junior choir, 4 p. m. church choir, 6 p. m. Senior choir, 8 p. m.

St. Paul's, Stowe, the Rev. Paul C. Scheurer, pastor. Tomorrow, Mothers' club covered dish social, 8:30 p. m.

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
Baltzell, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Wednesday, prayer service, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school council, 8:15 p. m. Friday, Senior choir, 8 p. m.

**OTHER CHURCHES**  
Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Linerck, rector. Today, Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m.

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